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Leona Ziegler, Former Resident Buried At Dallas

Funeral services for Mrs. Leona Ziegler, 57, of Dallas, were held Wednesday, March 20 at 2 p. m. at Bethel Baptist Church in Dallas.

Rev. C. D. Walker, pastor, officiated. Burial was at Laurel Land Memorial Park by Restland Funeral Home of Dallas.

Mrs. Ziegler, a former resident of McLean, died Tuesday, March 19 at 2 a. m. at Baylor Hospital in Dallas. Born on July 8, 1916 at Keltor, she moved to McLean as a child with her family in 1920. She graduated from McLean High School in 1934. After attending Amarillo Junior College in Amarillo, she moved to Dallas in 1941. She had been employed by Odus Elevator Co. before illness forced her to retire.

Her survivors are her husband, E. L. Ziegler; three step-daughters, Mrs. Reba Patton, Mrs. Barbara Weaver, and Mrs. Linnie Jenkins, all of Dallas; five step-grandchildren; one brother, C. L. Wood Jr., of Dallas; one sister, Mrs. Marjorie Turnage of McLean and five nephews and nieces.

Texas Industry Week April 1 - 6

One week each year, Texas communities take it upon themselves to honor their industries. That week in 1974 is April 1-6, by proclamation of Governor Dolph Briscoe.

We wholeheartedly support such a week. Texas Industrial Commission figures show industry is the backbone of the Texas' economic base and is gaining more and more in stature as the key to employment of Texas' labor force.

What is especially rewarding about Texas Industry Week is that it gives Texans an opportunity to honor existing industry. This is good.

Too many times around the state, officials turn out for ceremonies turning the first spadeful of dirt of a new plant, or join in the festivities at a ribbon-cutting when the doors of the new industry open, and then forget that industry ever existed.

It is existing industry that provides the vast bulk of new jobs with expansions, and it is existing industry that carries the load with jobs, taxes and growth in our community.

It is good to cheer for new industry when we are fortunate to get it. But, it is great that in Texas, we remember them with a special week after they've been around awhile.

The Young at Heart Club met Friday night in the Smith building and played Progressive 42, with all reporting a good time. The next meeting will be April 16 at 6:30 p. m.

Musical Comedy To Be Presented At Pampa

Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe, creators of "My Fair Lady," have provided audiences with another reason to "dance all night" with their follow up musical comedy, the magical "Camelot," which is coming to M. K. Brown Memorial Auditorium in Pampa, Saturday, April 6 at 8 p. m. presented by John Raitt Productions under the auspices of the Pampa Fine Arts Association starring John Raitt as King Arthur.

This re-telling of the oft-told tale of the medieval King Arthur and his Knights of the Round Table (and the Queen Guenevere who changed the table's shape to a triangle) has been based on T. H. White's best-selling novel re-counting the legend with Twentieth century wit and grace, called "The Once and Future King."

The twenty scenes of the show, being designed by Donald Padgett, depict the fabled towers of "many towered Camelot" and its environs, including the jousting field, a forest ruled over by a sleek and sultry witch, the Great Hall and chambers of the castle where the courtly knights engage in the arts and practices of chivalry, and sometimes fall short of their ideals.

The royal couple who rule over Camelot will be portrayed by John Raitt with Jolene Fodor as Arthur and Guenevere, The valorous knight, Sir Lancelot, who can vanquish all foes, yet falls victim to his lover for the King's wife, will be played by William Covington.

For information concerning tickets contact Mrs. Miro Palkan at 779-2657.

Band Boosters Set Band Banquet

Friday, April 19, is the date selected by the Band Boosters for their annual banquet. The banquet will begin at 8 p. m. at the McLean Country Club.

Advance tickets will be available at Parsons Drug or from any High School Band member. We urge as many as possible to obtain their tickets in advance.

4-H AIMED AT EDUCATION - The 4-H Program is designed to educate young people, says a 4-H and youth specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the parent organization of 4-H. 4-H can help youth develop intelligent behavior by providing them information or knowledge, a positive self-concept and an awareness of their social setting. 4-H focuses on relevant knowledge and the development of a knowledge-getting process. The youth program also helps boys and girls learn the acceptable values, beliefs and goals of society.

McLean To Have Cancer Drive

The month of April has been officially declared by Governor Dolph Briscoe as Cancer Control Month. Cancer will strike more than 50,000,000 Americans now living, if the present rates prevail.

Mrs. Clyde Magee has been named the chairman of the Cancer drive in McLean, which will take place on April 1 and 2nd. A house to house canvass will be made to obtain funds to help with the cancer research program.

It is known that at least one out of two of every cancer patients could be saved if more people saw their physicians for early detection, diagnosis and treatment.

Be prepared to give to this cause when some one knocks on your door for a contribution.

Resident's Sister Buried At Wellington L. V. N. Program To Merge With F. P.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian Patterson Williams, 59, a resident of Wellington 45 years, were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in the Wellington Assembly of God Church with burial in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of a Wellington Funeral Home.

Mrs. Williams, the sister of Mrs. John Guill, died at 5:20 a. m. Friday at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

She was born at Ada, Okla. and was a member of the Full Gospel Church.

Her survivors include her husband, C. H.; one son, Eulan Branch Broughton, III.; five brothers, A. C. Patterson, G. F. Patterson and B. J. Patterson, all of Wellington, Leon of Shamrock, and J. W. of Hereford; two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Guill of McLean and Mrs. L. J. Brown of Amarillo; and two grandchildren.



PHILLIP PARMENTER

Phillip Wayne Parmenter, 18, son of the Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Parmenter, Garden City, and grandson of the Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Parmenter, 712 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson, McLean, completed basic training at Lackland AFB and is now at Chanute AFB in Rantoul, Ill.

The youth is taking technical training in missile maintenance. The course will be completed in July.

Former Resident Dies At Santa Fe

Funeral services for Spencer Dee Sitter, 18, a former resident who died Friday at his home in Santa Fe, were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday in St. John's United Methodist Church in Santa Fe, N. M.

Officiating was Rev. Jack Wallace, pastor. Burial was by Memorial Chapel in Santa Fe.

The youth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer B. Sitter of Santa Fe, had been a McLean resident 14 years before moving to Santa Fe from Commerce about two years ago. He was a member of First United Methodist Church at McLean.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Sharon Atchley of Alamogordo, N. M.; a brother, Lester D. of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stevenson of Bakersfield, Calif.

L. V. N. Program To Merge With F. P.

The Licensed Vocational Nursing Programs formerly conducted by area hospitals--Pampa, Spearman, and Borger merged during the summer of 1973, and Frank Phillips College of Borger has been approved by the State Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners Texas Education Agency, and the Division of Post Secondary Occupational Education and Technology of Texas to be the controlling agency and instructional base for the L. V. N. Program in the Northern Panhandle. Each of the hospitals is designated as affiliated agencies and will provide the clinical facilities for floor duty and bedside experiences required by the approving agencies.

The program covers twelve months of study and experience, and the first class is past the halfway mark. Applications are being received now for 1974-75 in the office of the Director of the Technical-Vocational Division of Frank Phillips College, or Mrs. Ella Weeter, Director of the L. V. N. Program. When applications are received, a classifying pretest schedule will be set by the college followed by personal interviews.

For further information contact Director of Voc. -Tech., Frank Phillips College, Box 111, Borger Tx. 79007.

Gin Meeting Set For April 6

A meeting has been set for Saturday, April 6 at 8 a. m. at the McLean Country Club. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the closing of the gin. Gin officials will be at the meeting.

Breakfast will be served. Everyone interested in the gin is invited to come.



REGINA LAMB

McLean Girl Is "Golden Heart Little Sister"

The West Texas State University chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon national social fraternity selected Regina Lamb of McLean as one of their "Golden Heart Little Sisters."

The "Golden Hearts," an auxiliary to Sigma Phi Epsilon undergraduate chapter, support the chapter in numerous activities. They include rush, pledge education, open house, Parents Day, and receptions. "Golden Hearts" also participates with the chapter in activities such as house seminars, fund raising projects, community service, campus activities and charitable work.

The West Texas chapter received its charter from National Headquarters in Richmond, Virginia, on April 28, 1973.

"Golden Hearts" are selected by the fraternity members on the basis of their interest and support of the fraternity.

Miss Lamb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Creed Lamb, is also a member of Delta Zeta social sorority.

Old Timers To Meet April 5

The Old Timers Club will meet Friday, April 5 at 12 o'clock noon in Lovett Library in Pampa. All who have lived in this area 50 years or more are urged to attend. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish to the luncheon. There will be entertainment furnished.

Church Moves To New Location

The Caprock Baptist Church is moving this week to the corner of Third and Gray in the Presbyterian Church building, as announced by their pastor, Joe Riggins.

Services will begin in the new building this Sunday, March 31. Sunday school will begin at 10 o'clock and the preaching services at 11 o'clock. The evening services will begin at 6 p. m. and Wednesday night prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

The pastor extends an invitation to everyone to attend.

19% Savings Bond Goal Reached

According to Mr. George B. Cree, Chairman of the Gray County Savings Bonds Committee, the 1974 Savings Bond goal for the county is \$475,000. January sales of E and H United States Savings Bonds totaled \$92,507 for 19% of the sales goal.

The 1974 sales goal for Texas is \$236.8 million. During the month sales were \$21,189,711 for 9% of the yearly goal.

Little League Program Meeting To Be Held April 2

Some interested in a little league baseball program would like to set up a meeting for next Tuesday, April 2 at 7:30 p. m. at the high school gym.

McLean can get in a league at Shamrock for boys whose ages are 7 to 10 and 11-13.

They will play approximately one game a week. Boys will need a white t-shirt, ballcap, jeans, ball gloves, cap, jeans, and ball gloves. This league will go on about six weeks.

Anyone having any questions are asked to please contact Cecil Reynolds or Casper Smith.

Cowbelles To Meet April 1

The Top O' Texas Cowbelles will meet Monday, April 1 at Jim's Steak House in Pampa at 12:00 noon.

The speaker for this meeting will be Louise Gibson. All members are urged to come.

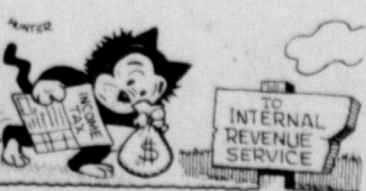


Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schneider of 719 Taylor Lane in Canyon announce the birth of a 6 pound 13 ounce son, Brett D' Lane on March 18 at 8:30 p. m. in Northwest Texas Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schneider of Booker and Mrs. Betty McCurley of McLean.

Schneider is coach of the girls basketball team of Canyon High School.

The Schneiders have another son, Brandon Shane, 2.



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IN MEMORY OF Dennis C. Bryant

Funeral services for Dennis Cephus Bryant of Pampa, were held March 16 at 4 p.m. in Carnichael-Whately Colonial Chapel at Pampa.

Rev. Billy Wilson, pastor, Harrah United Methodist Church at Pampa, officiated. Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Mr. Bryant, born March 25, 1921 at Canyon, Texas, died on March 14 in a Amarillo hospital. He was a captain with the Pampa Fire Dept.

Active pallbearers were Finis Dyer, B. T. Brown, Ray Fisher, Charles, Ingram, Paul Jones and Elmer Darnell. Members of the Pampa Fire Department were honorary pallbearers.

He is survived by his mother, Lady, of the home; three sisters, Lois Roan, Pampa, Geraldine Connell of Lefors and Doris Jean Stevens of Arlington.

feeling better. Enloe Crisp of McLean visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Moreman Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Crisp is still in McLean Hospital and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce has been down state for several days.

The people who bought the Paul Bruce place, are living on the place in a trailer house. The Bruce's will be moving later in the spring.

Eastern Star Have Meeting March 7

The McLean Chapter No. 239, Order of the Eastern Star held its regular meeting Thursday, March 7 at the Masonic Lodge Hall.

Minutes from the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mayme Hathaway. The regular business meeting was held.

Following the business meeting, the Worthy Matron, Veral Lynn Wood, honored the chapter officers. Each member was recognized for loyalty and support in carrying out the duties of their office the past year. She then presented each officer with a gift, symbolizing the year's work.

The chapter was closed in regular form.

The Worthy Matron also chose this meeting to honor the Chapter Mother, Fidelle Stubbs. The members went directly to the home of the Worthy Matron where a surprise birthday cake and gifts awaited the Chapter Mother.

Cake, ice cream, tea, and coffee were served to the following: Oma Lee Lisman, Jack Lisman, Johnie Rodgers, Frank Rodgers, Eula Morrow, Maggie Johnston, Margaret Grogan, Evelyn Stubblefield, Myrt McCoy, Vela Corcoran, R. T. Wood, and the honored guest, Fidelle Stubbs.

Baptist WMS Have Bible Study

By Mrs. Luther Petty, Reporter
 The Baptist Women's organization of the WMU met Tuesday afternoon March 25 in the parlor of the church for Bible Study, Matt. 28:16-20 from the Great Commission taught by Mrs. Herman Bell. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Homer Abbot and led in prayer.

It was stressed to take the message to all nations and the Lord said "Lo, I'll be with you always," speaking to all Christians.

The Calendar of Prayer was read by Mrs. Bell and prayer was offered for the missionaries that were having birthdays that day.

Those present were Mesdames Abbot, Herman Bell, Bill Pettit, Boyd Reeves, Walter Miller, A. C. Wood, Jim Stevens, Leo Gibson, Oba Kunkel, Bertha Smith, Audie Stewart and Luther Petty.

Susanna Circle Has Meeting

The United Methodist Women of Susanna Circle met in the church parlor at 10 a.m. for their regular meeting.

The group joined in singing "Trust and Obey." Grace Glenn led in prayer. The program was brought by Loyce Sherrod on "The gracious Woman, Mrs. Day led in the closing prayer. There were 10 present.

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McLean Students Participate In U. I. L. Contests

McLean High School is participating this week in University Interscholastic League Literary Contests at Clarendon Jr. College. Some events were conducted on Tuesday and the majority will take place Friday. District 2-A schools which will be represented are McLean, Claude, Silverton, Wheeler, Memphis, Valley High, Clarendon and Wellington.

Tuesday the One-Act Play, Ready Writing, and journalism news writing competitions involved McLean students. As a result "The Command Performance", the McLean entry fell behind the first place Wellington entry and 2nd place Silverton. Winners of the other contests held will be announced Friday.

Representing McLean in the following literary events are: Poetry-Halcyon Back, Prose-Joe Sherrod, Journalism-Cherylan Holmes, Ready Writing-Kerry Anderson and Cherylan Holmes, Number sense-Roger Myers and Terry Smith, Typewriting-Lela Skipper and Beth Hambright, Spelling and plain writing-Dean Trew and Cherylan Holmes.

Friendship Night Observed By OES

Friendship night was held recently at McLean Masonic Lodge Hall, Snoopy greeted each guest as they arrived, and each was given a "dog tag" identification.

A door prize was given to the person whose name was drawn from the registry. Maggie Ruth Johnson assisted in games, and gave prizes to the winners.

R. T. Wood entertained the guests with his musical talents.

Invocat on was given by J. Boyd Smith. The Eastern Star ladies served a variety of salads to friends and guests from White Deer, Pampa, Mobeettie, Shamrock, and Vega.

CANOES AT NIGHT NEED RUNNING LIGHTS

As far as the law is concerned, being a canoeist on the water at night without a light is worse than being up the creek without a paddle.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials say that canoes have the same lighting requirements as Class A boats if they are operated after dark.

This means the bow of the canoe must have a green light which shows to the starboard and a red light which shows to port.

On the stern, at a slightly higher elevation than the bow lights, there must be a white light which shows an unbroken light over an arc of the horizon of 20 points of the compass.

If you operate your canoe only during daylight hours, you don't have to worry about lighting.



DALLAS Cowboy All-Pro defensive tackle Bob Lilly, pictured with Bradley Meyer, will again serve as State Chairman of the 1974 Texas High School Football Boy's Lily Day for Crippled Children, an annual event to raise funds for the treatment and service program of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

Max Sherman To Be Governor For A Day Is Going Well

The seat of Texas government will move to the Texas Panhandle on Saturday, April 27, when State Senator Max Sherman of Amarillo is sworn in as Governor of Texas for a day. Sherman, who is presently serving as President Pro Tempore of the Senate, is second in line to succeed to the governorship and will be sworn in to this position when the Governor and the Lt. Governor are absent from the State.

The festive inaugural day will be marked with many events in the Panhandle that are designed to give as many people as possible a chance to visit with the Governor and his family. The day will begin with a Prayer Breakfast at the Polk Street Methodist Church at 7:30 a.m. at which Supreme Court Justice Tom Reavley will be the speaker. The inauguration will begin at 9:30 a.m. at the Bivins Library with Judge James G. Denton performing the swearing-in of the Governor, and Sen. A. M. Aikin, Jr., serving as master of ceremonies. This will be followed at 10:30 a.m. by the Greater Southwest Music Festival Parade of which Governor Sherman will be Parade Marshal.

Senator Sherman said he hopes that having the ceremonies in the Panhandle will "allow so many more of my constituents from Senatorial District 31 to join with us on this happy occasion." All citizens are invited, and Sen. Sherman has said he hopes "as many of them as possible can attend the inaugural events that are designed to pay tribute to the Panhandle and its people."

Gray County's Easter Seal Representative reported today that the 1974 Easter Seal Appeal of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults is going well. Betty Casey of Pampa, serves as Easter Seal Appeal Treasurer for Gray County.

The 1974 Easter Seal Appeal will finance the Easter Seal Society's rehabilitation program for crippled children and adults in Texas. Last year the society helped 20,570 disabled persons through its program of assistance in finding and making effective use of services for the disabled build happier and more useful lives.

As Easter Seal Representative, Betty Casey is the person to contact for services from the Easter Seal Society. He can be contacted at Citizens Bank & Trust Co.

When contacted for services, Mrs. Casey will provide the request form to be sent to the Texas Easter Seal Society in Dallas to determine the needs of the disabled person. The Society will provide the service where possible or will advise the handicapped person of the best resources available to help him.

Mrs. Casey added that contributions to the Easter Seal Appeal should be sent to him as soon as possible.

FALL FERTILIZER USE UP --
 Texas farmers used a lot more fertilizer last fall when in previous years, according to a soil chemist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service Usage during the last half of 1973 was 87 per cent compared to the same period in 1972. The energy crisis which has curtailed fertilizer production, uncertainty about prices and other factors persuaded farmers to put down their fertilizer early. Present fertilizer supplies are tight as inventories have not increased much over the winter months. If spring fertilizer use is the same as in past years, the farm fertilizer volume will up about one-half million tons for the July 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974 period compared

News From ALAN REED

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Davis are visiting their son, Johnny in Amarillo.

Mrs. Faye Oakley is still in McLean Hospital and is improving.

Mr. James Bryant entered Groom Hospital Monday for surgery.

A former Alanreed area resident, Mrs. Wayne Morris, had major surgery in Groom Hospital on Thursday of last week.

Onie Gibson is on the sick list this week.

Visiting Ruby Hill and attending church Sunday with her was T. A. Boyd of Borger.

Braving the cold wind Friday night some 35 people attended a PTO fellowship of visiting and playing games.

Mrs. Robert Stubbs received medical attention in Dallas last week and was reported as

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IT'S A FACT

The doctrine of "your church" could damn your soul! Many things are taught in the name of religion which people accept thinking they have their foundation in the Bible; but in reality they are doctrines of men. Many times it is said: "After all it's just a matter of doctrine, you believe your way and I'll believe mine, and we will both go to heaven." Others say: "We both believe in Christ so why be so concerned about the doctrine?" We are concerned about the doctrine because Jesus said: "But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men" (Matt. 15:9). Now, if we do not abide in the doctrine of Christ we do not have God (2 John 9). People who follow man-made laws in religion will not be justified through their ignorance, because Jesus, continuing his discourse on vain worship said concerning those that were offended by what he was saying, "Let them alone: they be blind leaders of the blind. And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch" (Matt. 15:14). Now read 2 Thess. 2:10-12.

We should study the scriptures to make sure that the things spoken are truly from God's Word. "Beloved, believe not every spirit (teacher), but try the spirits (things taught)... try them by God's Word) whether they are of God: because MANY FALSE PROPHETS ARE GONE OUT INTO THE WORLD" (1 John 4:1). A good example to follow is found in Acts 17:11; "These (the Bereans) were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and SEARCHED THE SCRIPTURES DAILY, whether those things were so." Many of you will perish because you will not take time to see if the things you are being taught are true or not!

There is no such thing mentioned in the New Testament as "your" church or "my" church, but only Christ's church (Matt. 16:16-19; Eph. 5:25-27; Gal. 1:22, 1 Cor. 15:24). The plea of the churches of Christ is to come out of denominationalism and serve God as they did in the New Testament.

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AUSTIN, Tex. — An extensive property tax study is beginning in 35 of 1,113 Texas school districts as a guide to overhauling the public education finance formulas.

The Legislative Property Tax Committee approved the survey by C.B.M. Inc. of Cleveland, Ohio, and Marshall and Stevens, a worldwide tax appraisal service.

About \$382,900 is available for the work, although apparently not all of the money will be spent.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe had requested a top-to-bottom study of tax values in all districts in preparation for his recommendations to the 1975 Legislature on school finance reform.

However, the property tax committee said such a study would cost \$8 million, and a 325-district spot-check proposed by Texas Research League \$2 million.

Committee Chairman Sen. H. J. (Doc) Blanchard of Lubbock said he is hopeful the 35-district survey "can be used as a model by which we can set a formula for allocating state school aid that provides equitable support and maintenance."

Consultants have a November deadline for completing their work, and a first phase report is anticipated April 18.

Districts to be covered ranged in student population from 18 in Terlingua to 26,884 at Northeast of Bexar County. They include:

Friendswood; Little Cypress-Mauriceville; Overton; Hitchcock; Blue Ridge; Darrouzett; Cross Plains; Presidio; Celeste; Sonora; Glen Rose; Rusk; Joshua; Mumford; Carthage; Arlington; Clarksville; Midlothian; Buffalo; Atlanta; Northside of Wilbarger; Alvin; Elysian Fields; Central Heights of Nacogdoches; Somerville; Sli-dell; Bruni No. 22; Bowie County CSD No. 42; Lindale; Alvord; Devers; Strong and Leakey.

A "SAD" TAIL — Texas printers are having problems with the new campaign reporting law, because the name and address of the printer — name and address of the candidate have to appear on each printed item.

Latest problem comes from candidates who are having "t-shirts" printed for campaign workers.

It seems the name and address of the candidate and name and address of the "t-shirt" printer must be printed on the tail of the shirt.

If you see someone pulling off a "t-shirt" at a political rally, don't worry about a streaker, it's just someone fulfilling the request of the

Secretary of State's inspector.

STATE OIL SHARE BIGGER — The State School Land Board revised oil and gas lease terms for public lands in an effort to increase the state's income and encourage more drilling.

The Board, by a two-to-one vote, raised minimum royalty interest on state leases from one-sixth to one-fifth and reduced the leasing term from five to three years.

Quarterly lease sales will be held, and minimum bonus bid payment will be reduced to \$10 an acre in all areas for the right to hold a state lease.

Terms adopted by the board will go into effect with leases awarded at the next oil and gas lease sale July 2. Nominations of state tracts for that sale will be open until April 19, and the School Land Board will determine terms and conditions of leases to be awarded on nominated tracts at its meeting May 7.

"With oil prices doubling and gas prices tripling, I think it is an appropriate time for the state to realize higher royalty for production of its mineral resources," said Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong.


ENERGY "SAVED" — Governor Briscoe claims the state's voluntary energy conservation program has brought "significant savings" in gasoline, middle distillate fuels and electricity, and ought to be continued.

Total gasoline sales increased .3 per cent for December and January, over the same period a year ago, but historical growth rate for gasoline sales is about seven per cent per year. Briscoe calculated 81.5 million gallons of gasoline or about six and a half per cent of expected demand has been effectively saved.

Electrical production was reported up 2.3 per cent in January over January 1973, but down seven and a half per cent from the projected demand.

Briscoe urged continued cooperation by individuals and

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COURTS SPEAK - The State Supreme Court ordered a third trial for a suit over a loan against a Lubbock bank.

The Court of Criminal Appeals reversed a conviction of Abilene men for conspiracy to commit theft in a dispute over computer cards.

A Federal Court jury convicted Duval County political boss George B. Parr of income tax evasion.

An Amarillo man won a Supreme Court ruling in a \$4,000 damage suit against an auto dealer accused of using incorrect procedures in a motor repair.

Those from out of town attending services for Harold C. Rippe were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Skoog, Jonesboro, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lankford and Lauren, all from Amarillo; Mrs. Vivian Mann and Mrs. Bill Skoog, and Mrs. Frankie White of Pampa; Mrs. Leota Wiley, Wheeler; Mr. Bill Wiley, Miami; Mrs. W. D. Jackson and Stacy, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Close, LaFayette, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rippe and Mrs. Estelle Roach of Shamrock.

Political Announcements

Boy Scout Camporee Held At Mobeetie

A boy scout camporee was held at the Mobeetie boy scout camp during the weekend, March 13 and 14th with nine boys attending and the scout master, James Woods and assistant, Cecil Reynolds. The boys left at 7 p.m. Friday. When they got there they set up camp and stayed until Sunday afternoon. The curriculum consisted of cooking, keeping camp site orderly, gathering fire wood, hiking, demonstrations by other boy scouts from Pampa which consist of setting by a proper camp site, cooking by Dutch Oven (biscuits), first aid, back packing through the mountains.

Boys attending the campout were Roger Myers, Dewayne Morgan, Mike Reynolds, Bill Hambricht, Dub McGinley, Dudley Reynolds, Charles Patton, David Woods and Mitch Reynolds.

- Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 4, 1974. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.
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WTSU Facing 75th Birthday

West Texas State University in Canyon has a touch of the new which belies its age—75 years—and the school's history of being the oldest state-

assisted institution of higher learning in the West Texas region.

WTSU opened a \$3 million library this spring which will house about one million volumes. A \$3 million University Science Center also opened.

Two more important events in 1973 ushered in the new spirit at WTSU. The school marked its 10th year with university status, and Dr. Lloyd Watkins arrived to become university president.

Watkins has been associated with a number of the top universities in the Midwest. However, his enthusiasm for this part of the country, its people at WTSU was contagious—academic leaders began thinking of the future and seeing WTSU not just as a good university for this area but as a significant university. Significant beyond this part of Texas and the Southwest.

The new enthusiasm began to show itself as the university began operating to serve students—a concept shown by simplified registration procedures and a lowered student-faculty ratio.

WTSU's six schools—Agriculture, Arts and Sciences, Business, Education, Fine Arts and the Graduate School—offer a total of 16 different bachelor's and master's degrees with over a hundred majors and areas of emphasis.

Five new degree programs and courses were offered in social work and criminal justice administration. Latin reappeared and horsemanship was offered for credit.

WTSU students worked on projects ranging from digging for archeological material threatened by the building of a dam to mapping Mars from photos gathered by spacecraft.

Eight new buildings and a 2,400 acre ranch have been

added in the past five years to the WTSU facilities.

When not in classes, WTSU students could join any of 61 organizations on campus including fraternities and societies.

At the Activities Center, students can take advantage of reading, music and film rooms in addition to a complex of bowling lanes, pool tables, handball and paddleball courts, in addition to a weight training room, four basketball courts, and an Olympic-size swimming pool.

Students needing financial help also had a variety of prospects to consider. In addition to the conventional loan, scholarship and student employment programs, WTSU has the special Opportunity Plan, Inc., a non-profit organization which offers individualized financial assistance and counseling.

The Old Timer



"Never argue with your doctor—he has, inside information."

Area Resident's Sister Buried

Funeral services for Mrs. Claudie K. Carpenter, 83, of Sundown who died Wednesday afternoon in the hospital at Denton, were held Friday afternoon, March 22 at 2:30 p.m. in Sundown First Baptist Church.

Howard Davis, pastor, A. C. Hardin, of Denver City, and John Jenkins of Lorenzo, officiated. Burial was in Sundown Cemetery.

A native of Cisco, Mrs. Carpenter was married to C. Carpenter December 4, 1910, in McLean.

She is survived by her husband; four sons, Kent and John of Sundown, W. C. Jr. of Portland, Ore., and Max of Grand Blanc, Mich.; two daughters, Mrs. W. E. Shirley of Denton, and Mrs. Clara Fae Rogers of Dumas; five brothers, Burette Kinard, of McLean, Henry Kinard of Hartley, Paul Kinard of Clovis N. M., and M. H. and Gaylord Kinard, both of Lubbock; four sisters, Leora Rose of Pampa, Loree Barker and Beatrice Lester, both of McLean, and Ann Lamb of Lubbock; 21 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

National FHA Week March 31 - April 6

The Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America will observe NATIONAL FHA-HERO FHA WEEK, March 31 through April 6. Using the theme IMPACT '74 the 68,000 Texas members will join some half-a-million young men and women across the country in demonstrating projects that are challenging, stimulating, and of real value to youth in preparation for future responsibilities.

"We have a new approach to program planning, Annette Reznik, State President, of Friona, pointed out. Working with our PROGRAM ACTION IMPACT kit is exciting. IMPACT was developed by youth and introduced to chapters this year by state and area officers. We analyze member concerns and then develop what we call 'in depth' projects that are related to our home economics classroom study. Most people have no idea of what is taught in home economics classes today. They think of home economics as cooking and sewing and of Future Homemakers of America as just another 'fun and games' club.

During NATIONAL FHA-HERO WEEK we want to im-

HEALD NEWS

Miss Jana Davis of Pampa spent the weekend in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ott Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Norman and children of Pampa were Sunday visitors in the Arlie Grigsby home.

Visitors in the Bob Bidwell home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Boots Graham of Amarillo.

Mrs. Jessie Cannon of Pam-

pa visited several days in O.O. Tate home. Visitors Sunday were the Wesley Walters of Amarillo and the late and Mrs. Tate of McLean.

Robert Simpton of Hereford spent Thursday and Friday night in the Earl Carpenter home.

Mrs. Ott Davis and Janice visited in Wellington Saturday afternoon with their uncle Lynn Sparlin.

Mrs. Bill Stezler of Slaton spent the weekend at the home of her parents and Mrs. Carl Phillips.

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There is a new excitement on our campus. Everyone associated with the University tells me they feel it, students, faculty, alumni and our many boosters throughout the Panhandle.

The excitement started ten years ago when we achieved University status. We began getting many new facilities including a new library, science building, research center, classroom and administration buildings and a new Student Activities Center which is second to none in the United States. We have new programs of a dozen different kinds . . . even one for horsemanship.

Much of the money for these programs and facilities has come from individual citizens, companies and foundations. These benefactors say, in effect, that our area should be the site of a significant university . . . a university with facilities and programs which attract outstanding faculty and students from all over the nation, even the world.

WTSU is growing but it is not so big but that our teachers can take a personal interest in each student and relate to him as the individual he is. Though we have a higher percentage of Ph.D.'s on our faculty than most universities, (over 50%) our classes average fewer students than most, (under 20).

Our students are very much a part of making things happen at WTSU. They are interested, involved and excited. Their learning experience is bigger than the classroom . . . it is as big as life itself.

Tell us which of these areas of study interests you and we will tell you more about that program at WTSU. Clip this coupon and mail it to me personally. I'll see that you get the whole exciting story without obligating you in any way.



Lloyd D. Watkins

Dr. Lloyd Watkins, President West Texas State University

P. S. Don't let financial considerations keep you from exploring the idea of coming to WTSU this summer or fall. Scholarships and other financial assistance are readily available.

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IRS Will Compute Your Tax

Many taxpayers again may have the Internal Revenue Service compute their income tax and retirement income credit, Elton W. Davidson, Administrative Officer for the Amarillo area said today.

He said the IRS on request will compute the tax for persons with incomes of \$20,000 or less, who take the standard deduction, and whose income is solely from salaries, wages, tips, dividends, interest, pension and annuities.

If the taxpayer also wants the IRS to compute his retirement income credit, he should include the basic information on Schedule R and attach it to his Form 1040, Mr. Davidson said. He should also enter "RIC" on line 17, Form 1040. Instructions on Schedule R explain which items to be provided.

For those persons who qualify, the IRS will compute the tax, whether the return is a Short Form 1040A or the regular 1040. The tax instructions explain what information should be entered on the return Mr. Davidson said.

After this information is entered on the return, the taxpayer should sign it and send it to the IRS Center in Austin, Texas.

He said the IRS will then compute the tax and send the taxpayer either a refund or a bill for the tax due, whichever is the case.

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We wish to gratefully ac-
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 May the Lord ever bless you
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Our deepest appreciation for
 the many cards, food, flowers,
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 illness and loss of our precious
 loved one Martha Harlan. May
 God richly bless each kind
 deed ten folds.

Thank You!

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We want to thank everyone
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 and phone calls during the
 death of our sister, Cordie .
 Lane of El Paso.

May God bless each and ever
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Kate Jones
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Dear Pastor and Mary Bell
 dear friends and my loved
 Sunday school class, I am
 sending you all my love and
 appreciation for your cards,
 gifts and prayers and for the
 joy you gave me with your
 smiling faces. You just gave
 me a lift each time and made
 the going easier. I am going
 to Normas for a week or so
 and then, Please God, I'll be
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WIND OF FAITH



Old-timers used to rely on this mill. This mill used
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 ing, waiting! What patience they must have learned—
 only faith sustained them. The wind would blow again.

The patient life also requires a foundation of faith.
 It can come early or late, slowly or fast.

If you lack the necessary faith to fulfill your life's
 needs, turn to the Church. The wind will blow again.

Sunday
 I Timothy
 2:1-6

Monday
 Leviticus
 26:3-12

Tuesday
 Proverbs
 16:1-7

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 Matthew
 5:3-12

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 Romans
 12:14-21

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 14:15-19

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MUSEUM MEMORABILIA

by Vera Featherston Back

Dear Friends of the Museum: We have come a long way since we first opened our doors at the Alanreed-McLean Area Museum on September 12, 1969. Remember how each of us brought in our precious possessions of the past and how hard so many of us worked to find enough relics worthy of being placed in a museum?

If there ever was a display of team-work, of co-operation, loyalty and togetherness, it was displayed as we worked long and hard to keep our word to the ex-students—that we would have the museum open in time for HomeComing.

So many of you voluntarily brought keepsakes from your attic, Grandmother's old trunk, or cleaned out the basement or the barn to help us keep that promise. Am sure you recall how the visitors were pleased with what they saw—perhaps not so much as what we actually had, but the beginning which showed a promise of something worthwhile to come.

Those visitors, as well as many local people, opened their hearts and their pocket-books. Many of them realized they, too, had momentos at home which heretofore had been considered junk and brought them in or mailed them back to us, and "like Topsy" we grew.

The ladies dug into their cedar chests, old trunks, or boxes packed away waiting for the junk man, for now those items could serve a purpose in helping to preserve the history of our area.

Because of people like you, the Alanreed-McLean Area Museum grew into an institu-

tion of which the entire county is proud. In fact, it has grown so fast, we are bursting at the seams, yet items of historical value keep coming in. Recently Mr. E. C. Sidwell of Pampa gave a one-horse drawn planter, Minnie Ayers Brown and her husband donated a barrel dolly patented in 1914, and Wheeler Cobb came all the way from Missouri to bring a combination barber and dental chair. That, within itself, is an unusual item, but when we know Clyde Barrow (of Bonnie and Clyde) sat in it to have his hair cut and his teeth pulled, the chair becomes an eye-catcher to young and old alike.

When these last three items were brought in, it seemed we wouldn't be able to find a place for them, but we would likely have been tarred and feathered, had we let any one of them slip from us, so we moved things around in the "barn" and finally got them located.

Now we have another gift which means much to every person who has lived long in the south part of the county, something we must have but where to put it is a problem. It is McLean's first motorized fire truck, obsolete as a flame fighter but more valuable now than it was nearly 50 years ago when it was acquired by the City of McLean.

What can we do with it? We cannot allow this relic to slip through our hands. Given time, a couple of carpenters for a day and a few strong backs, I believe that old fire-fighter can find a home in our museum. You would want that, wouldn't you?

Now this is a problem which some of you can help solve without much effort. If you recall, many of the items you brought were put in the museum on a loan basis, others as out-

right gifts. A number of you said at the time, "Classify them as a loan, but I'll likely never take them out."

Some said, "Mark them a loan, so we can get them back if you don't make a go of the museum."

Others remarked, "I'll never take my items out as long as the museum is held intact here. Should you consolidate with another museum and move this one to another town then I'd want them back."

Others, as we recall, said, "We'll lend you this so you can get started."

The Museum Board wants it understood it has no intention whatsoever of moving the museum to another town, consolidating it with another museum or closing its doors.

We need more room, but people with empty buildings seem reluctant to let us use their show windows in which to put a display, with a placard labeling the exhibit as a part of the museum, and inviting on-lookers to walk a block or so to visit the main museum. Such an arrangement would relieve our crowded situation - even make this letter unnecessary.

Back to those items on loan to the museum: To prevent losing something of great value it is possible the time may come - and soon - when we will have to choose between a gift or a loan. Therefore, the Museum Board at its March 1st meeting made a ruling that, should such a time come, this body would be compelled to favor the gift rather than the loan.

Think the matter over. If you can change your loan to a gift, please let us know. Not one thing will be given back unless there just isn't room anywhere in the building for it. We realize many items on loan could easily

be re-classified as a gift.

This does not mean we are planning on returning anything, even though you prefer not to give it to the museum, unless it becomes absolutely necessary.

Please understand! We are not discriminating against anyone or anything. We are thinking of the future and the progress of the museum as a whole and its service to the communities and to the county it serves.

To be eligible for a government or foundation grant, a

museum must own most of its exhibits. Who knows? Such an opportunity might come our way and we would like to be prepared.

Because of the gas situation and the illness of so many of our regular helpers, the museum is now only open from 12:00 to 4:00 p.m. on weekdays and 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays. Please call or come by and let us know your wishes.

Charles Eudey In Friendship Project

U. S. Forces, Germany (AHTNC) Feb. 25--Army Private First Class Charles R. Eudey, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis R. Eudey, Lefors, is participating in a German-American Friendship Project in Jugsheim, Germany.

PFC. Eudey, regularly assigned to the 516th Engineer Company in Hanau, is assisting in the demolition of seven of the town's buildings and the removal of the debris. The savings to the town will allow it to begin construction of a municipal office building.

His wife, Gayla, also lives in Lefors.

NEWS

*** County ***
Agricultural Agents
Texas A. & M. College
Extension Service
By FOSTER WHALEY

On Saturday, March 23 I attended the annual Production Credit Association meeting in Canadian.

The speaker gave some very interesting figures. He said a little over 10 years ago the outstanding loan balance of the Canadian P.C.A. stood at something over three million dollars.

Would you believe that on Feb. 29, the outstanding loans were close to forty eight million. The net worth now stands at nearly eight million? This is a remarkable story.

The Canadian P.C.A. has loan offices in Pampa, Wheeler, Canadian.

COYOTE PROBLEM

We have numerous calls about the coyote problem. It's always been a puzzle to me that poisoning of rats is perfectly legal back in the eastern states where they have a rat problem.

But in the name of setting the ecology it is perfectly al-

right for a coyote to kill a \$150.00 baby calf.

There is some talk of trying to get several counties to ban together and have

helicopter shot gun programs like we had last year. There are many advantages to getting several counties to join hands in a coyote control program. In the past most efforts to get counties to join hands have failed. It might take about six coyotes per cow before they will get enough to arouse ranchers to join hands and do something about this most serious problem. I have talked with Jimmy Ellard, Fish and Wildlife Service in Lubbock, a helicopter cost about \$75.00 per hour. There are only a few licensed operators in Texas.

I would like to have the reaction of ranchers in this area. Do you think ranchers would be willing to put up a set fee per acre for such a program.

SOIL TEST

If you have not had a soil test in recent years, this would be an excellent time to do it. Since fertilizer has gone up so much, there has never been a greater need to see that you don't waste fertilizer. Drop me a card to Box 214. I will mail you a soil test carton and an information sheet to be sent to our Lubbock Soil Testing Laboratory.

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